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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This response to the Office Action of July 24, 2007 is submitted with a Petition to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment because said Office Action was not received.

The present Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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